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MESSAGE	Enclosed herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement in 1 page.

Sir:

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### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on September 29, 2003 regarding the above-identified application, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-5, 10, and 12-19, for further examination on merits. Please cancel claims 6-9 and 11 without prejudice and disclaimer.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Account No. 50-0710 (Order No. JCLA7503).

Respectfully submitted,

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